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Liberation Notice

This is to certify that I have given my daughter, Isadore M. Keith, her time during the remainder of her minority and shall claim none of her wages nor pay any debts of her contracting after this date.

Dated at Sheffield, Vt., this 10th day of November, 1913. 48-50

Notice.

The Selectmen of the town of Barton will meet at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, December 12th, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to adjust and settle all claims for damage done by dogs to domestic animals as the law directs.

E. R. COOK, Chairman of Selectmen

Estate of Charles A. Day

STATE OF VERMONT.

District of Orleans, ss.
The Honorable Probate Court for the District aforesaid:

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles A. Day late of Albany in said District, deceased.

WHEREAS, said Court has assigned the 20th day of December next at 10 o'clock, a. m. for examining and allowing the account of the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Orleans County Monitor, a newspaper published at Barton, in said District.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear at the Probate office in Newport in said District, on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your rights as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand this 1st day of December, 1913. 48-51

B. M. SPOONER, Register.

Commissioners' Notice.

Estate of Lydia Ann Lawrence

The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lydia Ann Lawrence, late of Barton, in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the office of Black & Stoddard in the village of Orleans in said District, on the 18th day of Dec. 1913 and 20th day of April, 1914, next, from 1 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days and that six months from the 18th day of Nov. A. D. 1913, is the time limited by said court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Orleans this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1913.

JERRE MARSTON, F. C. BROWN, Commissioners.

Commissioners' Notice

Estate of Eugene F. Bickford

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Eugene F. Bickford, late of Barton, in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the Town Clerk's Office in the town of Barton, in said District, on the 18th day of December, and the 8th day of May, next, from 1 o'clock p. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., on each of said days and that six months from the 18th day of November, A. D. 1913, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Barton this 20th day of November, A. D. 1913.

LYMAN BARBER, W. E. HANSON, Commissioners.

Commissioners' Notice

Estate of Simon D. Morrill

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Orleans, COMMISSIONERS, to receive, examine and adjust the claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Simon D. Morrill, late of Irasburg, in said District, deceased, and all claims exhibited in offset thereto, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the residence of P. S. Hitchcock in the town of Irasburg, in said District, on the 11th day of December, and the 11th day of May, next, from 2 o'clock P. M. until 4 o'clock P. M., on each of said days and that six months from the 14th day of Nov. A. D. 1913, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Irasburg this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1913.

P. O. LITCHFIELD, GEO. A. WARE, Commissioners.

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If this food is not sold in your place, we will send you freight prepaid a 125 pound sack for \$4.00, or a 60 pound sack for \$2.00. If in want of Beef Scraps, Poultry Bone, Oyster Shells, etc., write us for prices.

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FARM NEWS AND NOTES

CONCERNING AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SCHOOLS.

The Extension Service of the State University plans to hold Extension Schools in various sections of Vermont during the winter. Arrangements for Extension Schools are already under way in different sections of the State. An Extension School is simply a school of instruction for farmers, more formal, more educative, more helpful, lasting longer than the farmers' institute. Farmers are regularly enrolled as students. The various subjects are handled as systematically as in a school. Lessons and demonstrations are given and whenever possible actual practice work is done. The farmer student will not only be told how and shown how to prune a tree, or judge a cow, or test soil for acidity; he will himself, under direction, do these things. It is much like farmers' week at the state university being brought to the farmers' doors.

At least three state university men will man each school. The institute force of the state commissioner of agriculture will at times assist. School sessions will open Monday afternoons and close Friday afternoons. Five sessions daily, each an hour long, three being lessons and two object lessons or demonstrations, will ordinarily be held at hours arranged as far as possible to meet the views of the majority of the registrants.

Three of the following subjects, each eight lessons and demonstrations, can be discussed at each school:

1. Dairying
2. Breeding
3. Feeds and Feeding
4. Farm Crops (including Hay, Corn, Clover, Alfalfa, Cereals)
5. Soils and Soil Management
6. Fruit
7. Poultry Husbandry
8. Forestry
9. Farm Management

No charge is made for extension school instruction. A warmed and lighted hall must be furnished free. Only those persons who register can be assured accommodations and registrants must agree in advance to attend at least three-fourths of the exercises. An advance registration of twenty-five farmers will be necessary, in order to secure a school for a given locality. Parties interested should correspond with Thomas Bradlee, director State Extension Service, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont.

National Grange Resolutions.

Following is the gist of the resolutions adopted by the National Grange recently in session in Manchester, N. H. The grange is in such close relation with the farmers that the Monitor thought some of the resolutions should find place in this department.

1. Full equal suffrage was endorsed by the grange.
2. The monopoly of the water powers of the country was looked upon with apprehension and congress and the several state legislatures were urged to enact laws to prevent such monopolies.
3. The grange advocated the establishing of a Lincoln Industrial school instead of a monument at Washington to the statesman, Lincoln.
4. The grange favored the enactment of a law to amend the constitution of the United States so as to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors and to submit the same to the several states for ratification.
5. The loan of money deposited in postal savings banks directly to farmers and home builders at a low rate of interest was favored by the grange.
6. Relative to the rural credit commissions sent to Europe last summer, the grange signified its regret that the membership of the commission was not representative of the farmers of the country or calculated to inspire confidence in any report that they may make.

Farm Notes.

The National Grange in recent session at Manchester, N. H., asks and demands of congress the enactment of a law that will prevent counterfeiting and fraud by prohibiting the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine, for interstate shipment, that shall be of a color imitating that of butter of any shade of yellow.

Farm and Fireside says: "Farm profits will be increased more substantially by increasing acreage yields than by increasing acreages."

F. E. Simpson of Glover sold during the year from Oct. 10, 1912 to Oct. 10, 1913, fourteen dairy Shorthorn calves at an average price of \$72.50 each, one cow for \$216 and one two-year-old heifer for \$200. Who says blooded stock does not pay? He also has a cow that during the last year gave 10,000 pounds of milk, lowest test, 4.2 of butter fat, highest test, 5.

The Vermont members of the agricultural committee of the Western New England Chamber of Commerce are A. Vail Allen, Fair Haven; C. W. Richmond, Newport; C. F. Smith, Morrisville; J. Gregory Smith, St. Albans, and James P. Taylor, Burlington.

It is expected an agricultural extension school spoken of elsewhere in this department will be held in Barton sometime during January or February. The Barton grange is taking the matter up and has secured more than half the required signatures already.

There were over 56 farmers registered for the farmers' school conducted at South Barre last week under the direction of the state and the University of Vermont. The enrollment more than doubles the number required to secure the school.

That farmers can co-operate successfully was demonstrated in Newfane and Brookline a short time ago. A number wanted a small amount of lime to use on the fields where they expect to seed next season. Instead of each sending in an order for a ton or two at retail price, they put all their orders together in one and sent in an order for a carload, and not only obtained lower prices on their lime, but on the freight rates also.

Wallace H. Smith of Irasburg has recently bought one of the best bred Holstein bulls in this part of Vermont for the head of his dairy. The calf is about seven months old and came from C. H. Fitch & Son, Burlington, Vt. The animal is Maple Ridge King Pontiac 5th, No. 116,848, sired by Maple Ridge King Pontiac, brother of K. P. Pontiac Lass with the world's record of 44.15 pounds of butter in seven days. Maple Ridge King Pontiac also has three other sisters which produced better than 30 pounds of butter in a week.

Mr. Smith has seven registered Holstein cows and several registered calves. This is the kind of stock the Monitor likes to see come into our county and is glad to make mention of all such registered animals.

CALEDONIA COUNTY.

While Fred Rogers was working under his barn in South Wheelock, raising it and putting new posts under the floor, it gave way, letting the stable with nine cows into the cellar, some 12 or 15 feet below. Mr. Rogers and Fred Berry barely escaped, being caught under the floor.

H. L. Doyle is having a two-acre piece of land on his farm in Sutton broken up by dynamiting. A cartridge is sunk every 21 feet for from two to six feet deep and after the explosion the ground is shattered. The work is being done by an expert. It is the first work of its kind in that section.

James Gray, Jr., 11 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gray of Hardwick, was accidentally shot in the leg by a 32-40 rifle in the hands of George Mandigo, a boy about 15 years old, the other day. The Mandigo boy started to take the gun from the younger boy when the weapon was discharged. He immediately put the injured boy upon his back and started for home. The bones of the leg below the knee were badly splintered.

William Webb, a former hotel proprietor in Lyndonville, was in municipal court last week charged with arson. He was bound over to county court. Bail of \$1,500 was furnished. Webb has a summer cottage at Bean pond, Lyndonville, and it is alleged that he procured Allen Lee, a Lyndonville boy, to set fire to the cottage.

WEST BURKE

Mrs. Eliza Lowell was called to Woodsville Saturday by the illness of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bartlett of Ludlow visited at H. W. Cobleigh's last week.

Mrs. Allen of Lyndonville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ruggles last week.

Miss Ida Smith has been on the sick list during the past week, but is improving.

The O. E. S. social which was held on Friday evening was a success in every way, and was largely attended.

The W. R. C. will hold a social and serve one of their good dinners on Saturday. Everyone is cordially invited.

Hugh McFarland, who underwent an operation at Brightlight hospital in St. Johnsbury Saturday, is as comfortable as can be expected.

Mrs. Julia Cummings, who has been critically ill for the past two weeks is no better, and her son, Harry Winslow, of Lawrence, Mass., was called home the first of the week.

The lecture, which was to have been given by Mr. Eastman on the evening of Dec. 20th has been changed both in speaker and date. It will be Monday evening, Dec. 15th, and will be given by Mr. T. Cornwall of Trenton, N. J.

The Sunday school and other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ames celebrated their forty first anniversary by giving them a reception in the W. R. C. hall on Tuesday evening of last week. Cake and coffee were served during the evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Ames were presented with a valuable clock as a token of the love and esteem felt for them by the whole community.

SUFFIELD

Mrs. Kelton has returned to Glover.

Mrs. Orrin Snelling is helping Mrs. Bickford.

Miss Cockling is to teach in the upper nation.

About \$50 was realized at the M. E. donation Friday night.

There will be a union Christmas tree at the hall as usual.

Julia Chesley attended the state grange at Rutland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheldon have gone to St. Johnsbury for a time.

Lute Chesley has purchased the Sarah Simpson house near his father's.

Mrs. W. J. Smith has returned from a week's visit among friends in Cabot.

Miss Duncan is to teach the school on the square which began Monday, Dec. 8.

Mrs. Brooks remains in a very critical condition. Mrs. Searles is caring for her.

The village school began last week with Miss Edith Gray and Miss Greenwood as teachers.

The electric lights have been put in at both churches and vestry which makes a great improvement.

There will be a social at the F. B. vestry Friday of this week. Supper from five until half-past seven.

Mr. Jeffrey gave a very interesting talk Thursday evening on the need of the Bible being read in our public schools.

Herbert Sheldon has traded places with Mrs. Alvira Gray for the house near Mrs. Frost's. Eddie Sheldon moving in where Herbert lived.

James Gray and daughter of West Derby were called here to attend the funeral of Mr. Gray's sister, Mrs. Sarah Simpson. Delia Emerson and Oscar and Eber Simpson of St. Johnsbury also attended.

Once again the death angel has visited our midst and taken from us

one who was very near and dear to many. Sarah Simpson, widow of the late Zebina Simpson, was called very suddenly Monday night from this to the Home from which none ever returned. Mrs. Simpson's maiden name was Gray, sister of Sanford and James Gray. She was born in town and with the exception of a few years in Canada and St. Johnsbury, has spent her life here. She was a hardworking woman, always ready to help those that needed help. She was a lifelong member of the F. B. church. She was twice married, her first husband being a brother of her second husband, Jesse Simpson. Four children were born by her first marriage, Amasa Simpson, now of Lyndonville, Oscar and Eber of St. Johnsbury, also Delia Emerson of St. Johnsbury. Mrs. George Stern was born by the second union, living here. Mrs. Simpson had many warm friends as well as many relatives, who join in sympathy with the bereaved children. Rev. E. E. Phillips of St. Johnsbury conducted the funeral services. There were many beautiful flowers which silently spoke of the love and esteem in which she was held. The funeral was at the home of Clem Gray, where she was working and where she so suddenly passed away. The singers were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jones, Clinton and Velma Jones.

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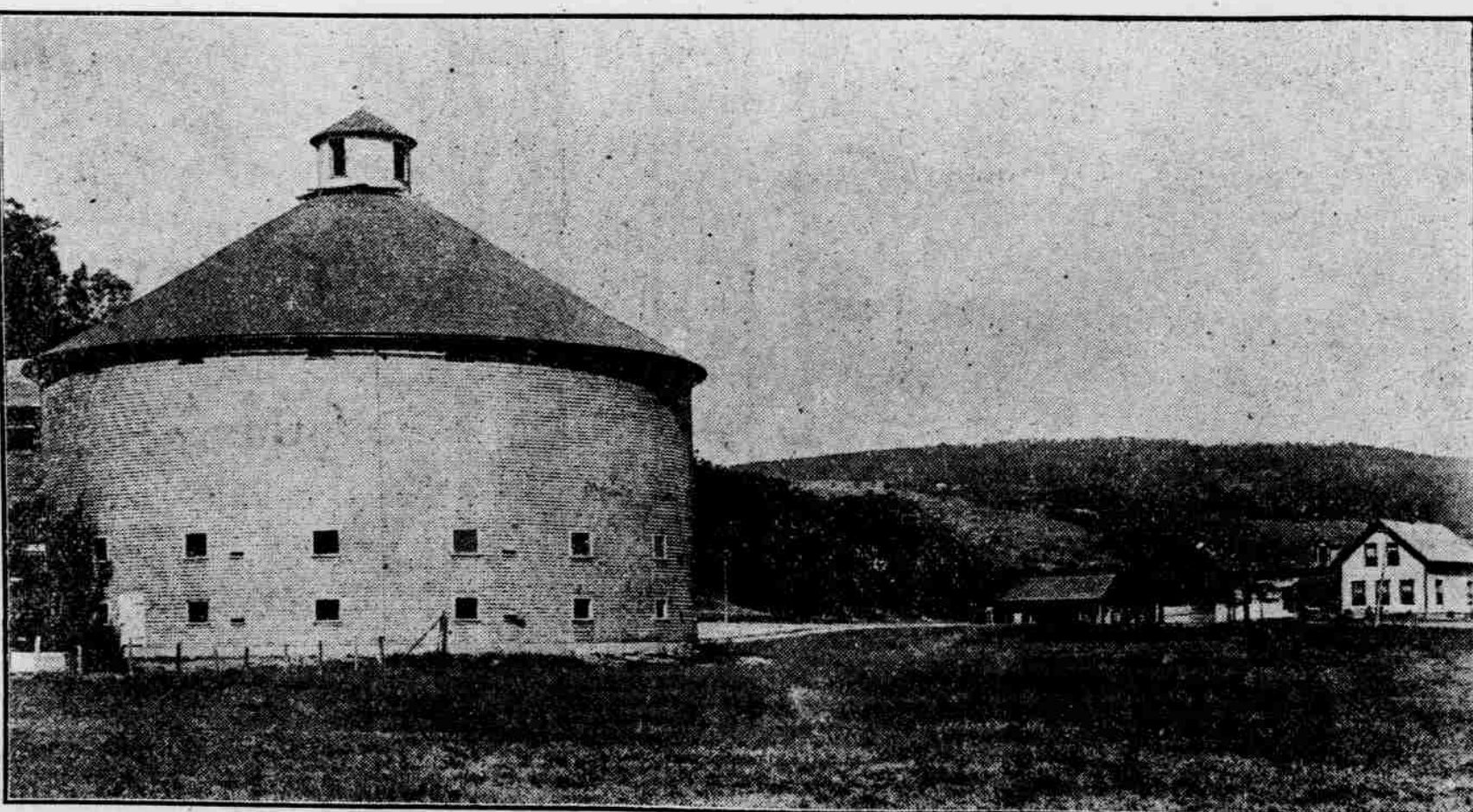
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Barton, - - - - - Vermont.

Some Large Orleans County Barns. No. 4



85-FOOT ROUND BARN OF GEORGE METCALF OF IRASBURG

Here is a large, modern round barn finished the past season by Mr. Metcalf. About 150,000 feet of lumber was used in the erection of this fine structure which is 85 feet in diameter and has 38 foot posts. The center bay of this barn is 50 feet in height, 38 feet in diameter and holds 100 tons of hay. Mr. Metcalf told the writer the side bays also hold 100 tons of hay. The barn is equipped with the King system of ventilation and ties 54 head of cattle and seven horses. There is a large grain bin in which 1000 bushels of grain can be stored and be drawn out of a spout handily located. Another bin of equal capacity will hold mixed feed. The barn is tall and access is easy to the top floor. Mr. Metcalf is carrying 45 cows. The separator is located in the barn. There are 220 acres of fine land in this farm and Mr. Metcalf knows how to get the dollars out of the soil. He is one of our real farmers.